



# How to apply Sweden Visa from Dubai

Are you planning trip to Sweden from Dubai? No matter if you will go for a long sought after scenic Scandinavian holiday, a business trip or meet up with family, you may be required to obtain [Sweden visa from Dubai](#).

Sweden is a part of the Schengen Area that follows a common visa policy permitting travelers that have a proper Schengen visa to travel Sweden along with 26 other countries of Europe. But if you are a Dubai resident and cannot obtain a UAE passport, you will probably have to get a visa ahead of time.

This article will explain everything you need to know about who needs a Sweden visa, what documents you are supposed to submit, and the step-by-step application process. This will ensure smooth travel experience.

## **Who need to apply for Sweden visa from Dubai?**

There is no visa requirement for holders of a United Arab Emirates passport traveling to Sweden for a short stay of up to 90 days. However, the citizens of Dubai need to provide documents outlining the purpose of the visit to Sweden, and proof of funds and accommodation before entering to Sweden and any other Schengen country.

If you are no UAE resident you may be required to for a Sweden visa so that can be permitted to enter the country. Citizens from countries that have a visa-free travel agreement within the framework of the Schengen zone can visit Sweden from Dubai without requiring a visa.

For Instance, a Sri Lankan citizen living in Dubai needs to apply for a Schengen visa to visit any country in the Schengen area, while the traveler from Malaysia in Dubai does not need to apply for a visa to go to Sweden. Logically, it has a relation to Malaysia being one of the countries which have a visa-free agreement with the Schengen Area

### **Requirements for a Sweden Visa from Dubai**

**Visa Application Form:** A completely filled Sweden visa application form is a must. Make sure it is filled with right information otherwise your visa may be rejected due to incorrect information.

**Passport** — Copy of your active passport validity be at a minimum of three months following the visa expiry date and has at least two blank pages for stamping.

**Photographs:** Two colored ICAO standard photographs with white background. The photo must be clear and latest.

**Cover Letter:** Draft a cover letter clearly stating the reason for visiting Sweden and information on your travel itinerary.

**Travel Insurance:** When visiting Sweden and other Schengen countries must have travel health insurance, with coverage that will provide at least 30,000 Euros in medical assistance;

**Flight Itinerary:** You are required to present proof of roundtrip flight tickets that have been booked and these tickets must also reflect your exact date of entry into the Schengen zone and your date of departure from the Schengen zone.

**Accommodation:** Show arrangement proof in Sweden in the form of hotel reservations or a friend or relative currently living in Sweden where you will be staying after entering the country.

**Financial Status Proof:** You are supposed to submit documents like three months bank statement to show that you can bear the expenses of your stay in Sweden and the Schengen area.

**Civil Status Documents:** This can be the applicant's birth certificate and/or a marriage license.

For specific visa, you will be requested more supporting documents.

### **How to Apply for a Sweden Visa from Dubai**

Below are the steps you need to follow to apply for a Sweden visa from Dubai:

- Reach out to Arooha tours visa expert for assistance
- Forward all the requested documents
- The visa expert will review your documents and assesses which category of Sweden visa you must apply for. They will also clarify any doubts you have in relation to that visa type and the entire application procedure.
- Then fill out a visa application form and counter check the documents to be perfect.
- After that you will schedule a date and time to visit the Swedish embassy with the visa application form and supporting documents. This day will be used for taking your fingerprints.
- Your visa will then be processed after that.
- You will be receiving your passport and Sweden stamped

## **FAQS**

### **Who needs to apply for a Sweden visa in Dubai?**

You probably need a visa to travel to Sweden if you're a citizen of a non-EU country and want to visit Dubai. UAE passport holders may travel to Sweden without a visa for up to 90 days if citizens of other countries -- including India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka and the Philippines -- need to apply for a Schengen visa.

### **What is the processing time for a Sweden visa in Dubai?**

The general time frame is typically 15 working days starting from the day of your appointment at the visa center or embassy. But they recommend applying at least 3–4 weeks ahead of time to allow for any potential delays.

### **Can I travel to other European countries with a Sweden Schengen Visa?**

Yes, you can travel to all 27 Schengen countries once you get an approved visa of Sweden. Ensure that Sweden is your principal destination or your first point of entry in the Schengen area.

### **What are the different types of visas for Sweden that I can apply for from Dubai?**

You may submit an application for different visa types depending your purpose of travel, such as tourist visas, business visas, family visit visas, student visas, and transit visas. Arooha consultants can assist in determining best visa according to your case.

### **What if my Sweden visa is refused?**

If they decline your visa application, you will be provided with an explanation in writing. You can either make an appeal to decision or re-apply with the changed or additional papers. Discussing with a specialist can help improve your chances to get approved on your next try.

**Is there a way for me to check the status of my visa application?**

Yes, once the application is submitted you will get a reference number/ tracking on the application. You can also use this to determine your status online or from your visa application center or the team of Arooha.